

PUBLIC LEADER



SEVENTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., FRIDAY, AUGUST 12, 1898.

ONE CENT.

Worth Saving.

Comparison of cost of gas at main office Western Union Telegraph Company, San Francisco, using the Welsbach System, with same period in previous year while using ordinary burners, shows a saving of over 50 per cent.

	1897.	1898.	Saving.
For month ending January 4th.	\$255.40	\$120.40	\$135.00
" February, 4th.	252.30	121.30	131.00
" March 4th.	252.40	121.40	131.00
" April 4th.	174.80	75.80	99.00
" May 4th.	175.80	77.40	98.40
" June 4th.	197.40	85.40	112.00
" July 4th.	156.65	61.65	95.00
" August 4th.	135.00	55.00	80.00
" September 4th.	115.15	42.80	72.35

The above is a correct transcript from the accounts of the Western Union Company.

(Signed) F. H. LAMB, Ass't Supt.

All other manufacturers of incandescent lights using mantles infringe on the Welsbach Light Co.'s patents, and all persons are cautioned against the use of any mantles other than made and sold by the Welsbach Company.

The genuine lights and mantles are for sale by

BALLENGER, Jeweler.

FLOTSAM—JETSAM—LIGAN!

NEWS NOTES FROM NATURE'S GREAT HIGHWAY.



The W. F. Nisbet passed down this morning from Pomeroy with a light trip of freight.

The Keystone State from Pittsburgh will pass down tonight. She will return tomorrow night.

This is the first time there has been an August rise of flood proportions for some fifteen or twenty years.

Towboats have everything their own way these days on the river. Some are going down with coal, while the larger number are going up with tows of empties.

Gardeners in the lowlands are heavy losers from the high water, while the steamboatmen are the gainers. It's an ill wind that doesn't blow somebody gold dollars—and silver ones, too.

The rise in the river from 7 o'clock yesterday morning up to 7 o'clock this morning was a few inches over 8 feet, the gauge showing 36.5. There will be about 42 feet of solid mud and water at this point. The Kanawha is falling.

CATLETTSBURG, Aug. 11.—Ohio river 81 feet and rising 6 inches per hour. Sandy river rising rapidly. A message from Pikeville reports 40 feet and rising there at 5 p. m. yesterday. Drift, sawlogs and parts of bridges have been running all day. The damage by washouts and to crops will be great throughout the Sandy Valley.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 11.—The Ohio river has risen rapidly since last night, and there will be a 12 foot stage of water. Heavy rains fell yesterday at points along the Monongahela river, and will serve to hold the river up for several days. The towboat John A. Wood, owned by John A. Wood & Son, hit the bank at Merriman on her way South with a tow of coal at 1 p. m., and sunk one boat at the head of Merriman and stuck one at the head of Deadman and another at Stoop's Ferry. She was to have taken 15 boats. The towboat Dave Wood, in attempting to assist the Charles Clark, which was aground near the Tenth Street Bridge, backed into the Hawk and broke a pitman and the after end of a cylinder timber on the Hawk.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-Four Hours.

THE LEADER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

White streamer—Fair.
Blue—Rain or snow.
With black above—Will warm or grow.
If black's beneath—Golden will be.
Unless black's shown—no change we'll see.

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WEVLER'S DISAPPOINTMENT.

"America I will invade!" He cried in an indignant burst. This is ambition oft dismayed, Curses somehow got there first.

—Washington Star.

Mrs. Nancy Ann Moore died of flux at Dover Wednesday, aged 90.

Dr. F. S. Pollitt, Pastor of the Scott Street M. E. Church at Covington, is still quite ill.

The Brookville Railroad Company's gross earnings from June 1st, 1897, to July 30th, 1898, were \$9,302.08.

The best grades of Kanawha and Semi-canal Coal for less money than you pay for Pomeroy at William Davis's Coal Yard, near Limestone Mills.

The Fayette County Fiscal Court has ordered an election for next November on the question of issuing \$100,000 worth of 4 per cent bonds for rebuilding the Court-house.

Mr. Pearl Blythe, who recently purchased the Miller heirs property on West Second street, has moved his barbershop into it and will be ready for his customers tomorrow.

You invite disappointment when you experiment. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are pleasant, easy, thorough little pills. They cure constipation and sick headache just as sure as you take them.

Mr. John Weimer, formerly C. and O. Operator at this point, but who has for some time been Day Operator at Augusta, left last week for Chester, Montana, where he has secured a lucrative position as Agent and Operator for a road at that point.

Mr. Weimer, who was formerly Miss Nettie Howe of this city, will join her husband in the West in a few weeks.

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COLLINS & RUDY LUMBER CO.,

Manufacturers and Dealers in

ROUGH AND DRESSED LUMBER!

Frames, Doors, Sash, Blinds, Mouldings,

Tobacco Hogsheads, Shingles, Lath and

All Kinds of Building Material.

For strictly pure Paris Green call at Henry W. Ray's Postoffice Drugstore.

A letter from Mr. R. P. Jenkins gives an encouraging report of his condition. He has gained 35 pounds, and is still improving.

Prof. E. B. Huntington resigned as Pastor of the Christian Church at Dover and has accepted a position as Principal of the Falmouth Schools.

On Sunday, the 14th, the C. and O. will run a special train Cincinnati to Oligo, leaving Fourth Street Depot at 8 a. m.; leave Maysville at 10:10 a. m. Fare the round trip \$1.

Judge Thomas R. Gordon, brother of Miss Fannie L. Gordon of this city, has positively declined to make the race for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the Louisville District.

One Minute Cough Cure surprises people by its quick cures and children may take it in large quantities without the least danger. It has won for itself the best reputation of any preparation used today for colds, croup, tickling in the throat or obstinate coughs. Henry W. Ray, adjoining Postoffice.

Electric Park.

The cosy auditorium at this popular place was crowded last evening with a delighted audience, there being a theater party of forty among the number. The program rendered was thoroughly enjoyable from start to finish. Go out tonight and see for yourself and you will have a pleasant evening. Ten cents pays your admission and round trip car fare.

A Big Whale.

Now on exhibition in Aberdeen on a large boat. The sea monster is 65 feet long, weighing when captured 75 tons and spanning 35 feet around. Its mouth is so large 25 people can stand in it at one time. Its tongue when removed weighed 35 pounds and rendered 100 gallons of oil. It has been embalmed and has been exhibited in many cities. Pay this monster a visit. You can go and return on ferryboat and admission to whale for 15 cents. Tickets for sale on ferryboat. Can also be seen on Sunday.

Accident Insurance. ED. ALEXANDER

Strictly pure Paris Green, only 25c. per pound, at Chenoweth's Drugstore.

Prof. A. J. Harget of Germantown will be Principal of the Ghent School this year.

Mr. James Dunn suffered a stroke of paralysis at his home near Washington this week.

The General Association of Colored Baptists of Kentucky will meet at Frankfort August 27th.

Mrs. W. T. Fleming of Flemingsburg has leased the Frankfort Hotel and will take charge September 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bragg Wilson are entertaining a fine girl at their home near Lexington. Mrs. Wilson was formerly Miss Fessie of this county.

The protracted meeting at Corinth Church, near Mt. Sterling, closed with twenty-two conversions. Rev. Buckner of Washington assisted in the meeting.

Dr. J. M. Mathews resigned the Chair of Surgery at the Kentucky School of Medicine, Louisville, with which he has been connected for a long number of years.

More than twenty million free samples of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve have been distributed by the manufacturers. What better proof of their confidence in its merits do you want? It cures piles, burns, scalds, sores, in the shortest space of time. Henry W. Ray, adjoining Postoffice.

KEHOE LOST!

Mason County's Representative

Not Chosen at the Cynthiana Convention.

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NOTICE!

Owing to delay in transportation, we are compelled to postpone announcement of our special sale for a few days more. Watch this space.

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LARGEST IN THE CITY.

Purely Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give advertising "notices" free any more than a merchant can give his customer free gifts of dry goods or shoes. A newspaper is a legitimate business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

OUR

\$7.65

SUIT

SALE

Will Positively

Close Saturday

Night.

Those who have not yet availed themselves of the opportunity to buy the best Suit of Clothes that was ever offered at the price will surely miss it if they do not call between now and Saturday night.

SHOES.

The results in our Shoe Department, though not a year old, are gratifying to us and fully as much to our shoe patrons. "The most comfortable pair of shoes I've worn for years," is the universal expression of those that wear them. Our \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 Smith & Stoughton French Calf Common Sense Shoes are the best in the market. Every pair we sell is made for us and warranted to give satisfaction. Money refunded if they don't. Our high-class shoes, such as Vel Kid, Russian Calf, Patent Leather, Cordovan, &c., all of which are specially made for us by the Burt-Packard company, Brockton, Mass., fill the long felt wants in Maysville's shoe trade. We are daily receiving our full stock in these lines. If your summer shoes are about worn out and you think it late to buy lightweight footwear we can fit you in the coming style of Fall Shoes. Respectfully,

HECHINGER & CO.

LEADERS IN FINE CLOTHING AND SHOES.

THE BEE HIVE.

Midsummer

Bargains!

Our store for the next fortnight will be teeming with especially great bargains. Everything is marked at midsummer clearance prices. The greatest bargain of the season is a

36-INCH PERCALE AT 8 1/2 CENTS.

These are the famous Astoria Brand, and are sold everywhere at 15c. a yard. Remember, full 36 inches wide and all the very latest designs.

MINOR MENTIONINGS.

But important to the thrifty housekeeper. Yard-wide Heavy Brown Cotton, 31c. a yard. Yard-wide Soft-dish Bleached Cotton, 31c. a yard. A great line of Organies, Lawns and Dimities of regular 12 1/2c. value, now 5c. a yard. Turkish Bath Towels, 45 inches long, 8c. Three cakes Buttermark Soap for 7c. Come and investigate; you'll find more great bargains than we can mention.

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